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The reason why it does not pay  
To meet your troubles half the way  
Is that they often come disguised  
And so may pass unrecognized.

### SUIT FOR \$10,000

Filed In the Mason Circuit Court Saturday By Charles Gates Against the C. & O. Railroad.

Saturday, in the Mason Circuit Court Charles Gates filed suit against the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad for \$10,000.

The plaintiff stated in his petition that on or about November 15, 1914, while riding with a couple of friends on a C. & O. train on his way to Vanceburg, Ky., to obtain employment, he was thrown from the train, falling between the cars and was run over, his left leg being cut off below the knee and hanging by the skin and the right leg being badly bruised and mangled, his injuries being serious but not fatal. That after he had been thus injured and rendered wholly helpless and was bleeding profusely from both legs, he was taken in charge by the agents of the C. & O., who conveyed him from the place of his injury to the city of Vanceburg, Ky., and that upon his arrival in that city he was conveyed to the office of the defendant's physician and surgeon, and that he was carelessly allowed to remain there in an exposed position without any surgical attention other than the bandages which had been carelessly and negligently placed about his legs, for about four hours, and without any effort to give him relief, although he was all the while protesting against this neglect and informing the defendant's agents and servants that he was without money and resources and that his father and mother were without money, and that he was at their mercy. That after arriving at Maysville he was left without any further effort to procure a physician or surgeon or other surgical aid, and that

after this exposure and neglect he was in about four hours removed to Hayswood Hospital by charitable friends, where both legs were amputated below the knee.

That in consequence of the exposure and neglect he bled profusely before reaching the hospital and suffered great unnecessary pain and agony of body and mind and as a further consequence of said exposure and neglect of the defendant, gangrene in his right leg set in, which made it necessary for a second operation.

Plaintiff states that his suffering in body and mind, as well as his pain and suffering resulting from the second amputation and the loss of an additional part of his right leg above and below the knee after the first amputation, were due to the gross and wanton neglect of the defendant, its agents and servants, its failing and refusing to give him sufficient medical and surgical attention, whereas if they had done carefully, properly and prudently that which they undertook to do in assuming to take charge and control of him and bandaging his legs, he could and would have been spared great pain and agony of body and mind, as well as said second amputation of his right leg and that portion thereof in which gangrene set in from defendant's said negligence whereby it became necessary to cut off a second portion.

Plaintiff stated that by reason of all the foregoing acts of negligence of defendant, its agents and servants, which, by the exercising of ordinary care they and each of them could have prevented, he has been permanently injured and damaged in the sum of \$10,000.

Wherefore, plaintiff asked for damages in the sum of \$10,000 and for all proper relief.

Hon. A. D. Cole is the attorney for the plaintiff.

### MISS ANNA BELL WARD.

Miss Anna Bell Ward will return home this week for a short visit and it is expected all her friends will be glad to hear of her return. She is making a success in Richmond and owing to the large amount of business she has been unable to return. Her many friends will be glad to learn of her success.

### HATCHET IS BURIED

Kentucky Republicans Hold Get-Together Banquet at Louisville

Pipe of Peace Is Smoked and Teddy's Picture Again Adorns the Wall

At Friday night's "Lincoln Day" banquet at Louisville, Kentucky Republicans and Progressives lined up together around the banquet board, buried the hatchet and henceforth they will forget all past differences and battle as one for the success of the Grand Old Party.

Republican platform convention will be held in Lexington on June 15. County conventions to select delegates to the state convention will be held on June 12.

Erstwhile Progressives eligible to participate in convention.

The members of the State Central Committee are:

At Large—Charles L. Scholl, Louisville; Joe F. Bosworth, Middlesboro.

First District—Ed R. Miller, Paducah.

Second District—J. W. McCulloch, Owensboro.

Third District—John H. Gilliam, Scottsville.

Fourth District—John P. Haswell, Hardinsburg.

Fifth District—J. M. Chilton, Louisville.

Sixth District—M. L. Galvin, Covington.

Seventh District—H. G. Garrett, Winchester.

Eighth District—George D. Florence, Stanford.

Ninth District—F. H. McCartney, Flemingsburg.

Tenth District—James A. Scott, Pikeville.

Eleventh District—A. T. Siler, Williamsburg.

DuRelle Boomed For Governor.

One of the most interesting developments of the day was the appearance of a large sized boom for Judge George DuRelle of Louisville, for the Republican nomination for Governor.

The other announced candidates for Governor are: Hon. E. P. Morrow of Somerset, and Dr. W. Godfrey Hunter. Mr. Morrow has been a candidate for some time and has built up an excellent organization.

The sentiment among the Republicans gathered in Louisville was undoubtedly sanguine. Here and there a man could be found who asserted that any Republican could be elected Governor on any platform, but the majority of the leaders did not take such an optimistic attitude as that. On the other hand, they asserted that at the best the fight in Kentucky this year would be a doubtful one, but that the Republicans had an even chance to carry the state, and if the Democrats made mistakes and the Republicans acted with wisdom the chances might be in favor of Republican success by the time the state campaign becomes acute next September.

Divided On Liquor Question.

Some of the Republicans averred that they would not have any trouble with any plank in their state platform except the plank on the liquor question. They will denounce the Democratic national and state administrations and will promise economy, reform and all other good things. But when it comes to the liquor question they admit that divided counsels exist.

Two different courses of action have been suggested, and a third possible plan was suggested Thursday by J. W. McCulloch of Owensboro, distiller. The first plan would be to stand pat on the county unit bill. The second is to promise to submit to the state a constitutional amendment prohibiting the manufacture or sale of liquor in Kentucky.

Mr. McCulloch has suggested that if the second plan be favored, it be coupled with a promise to compensate the men in the liquor business. This is generally construed as being tantamount to opposition to a state wide plank.

As far as the opinions of the Republicans now in Louisville go, it seems clear that a majority is against a state wide prohibition campaign. Whether they reflect correctly the opinions of the Republican voters back home remains to be seen.

Lincoln Banquet Is Held.

Judge K. W. DuRelle was the toastmaster at the party banquet at the Louisville Hotel.

COLONEL BEN SHELTON.

Colonel Ben Shelton, one of Aberdeen's most highly respected citizens and a veteran of the Civil war, died at his home in Aberdeen yesterday afternoon after a protracted illness, aged about 75 years. He is survived by three daughters. The funeral arrangements have not as yet been made.

## GET THE BEST GRADES OF Coal, Lumber and Mill Work

FROM

THE MASON LUMBER COMPANY, Incorporated,

CORNER SECOND AND LIMESTONE STREETS. PHONE 2519. MAYSVILLE, KY.

A. A. McLAUGHLIN. L. N. BEHAN.

TOBACCO COTTON

Merz Bros. Break All Records When Col. Tom Malone Buys 1,600 Yards.

Total Sales On Maysville Market So Far This Season—2,346,690 Pounds Sold Last Week, Says Supervisor.

The market the past week sold 2,346,690 pounds. The market on good tobacco was the strongest of the year. All the houses are cleaned up.

The market has sold to date 16,777,310 pounds, practically the same as was sold all last year.

Let us all pull for 25,000,000.

W. E. CLIFT, Supervisor.

This is probably the largest sale ever made to a single individual grower in Mason county.

Salesman Schlitz, who negotiated the deal, says the average number of yards sold to one customer is from 200 to 400.

Therefore, it can readily be figured out that Mr. Malone will plant the largest acreage of the weed ever attempted.

This year's local tobacco market is one of the best ever, but 1916 is going to be a humdinger.

SUIT TO SETTLE ESTATE.

Julia Stevens and her next best friend, H. L. Walsh, Faustina Cook Stevens, Roe M. Stevens, her husband, and Logan Cook vs. Equitable Trust Company of Dover, Ky., administrator of Margaret Cook, deceased, Edna A. Carpenter and Herman Carpenter, her husband, and John W. Porter, is the style of a suit filed in the Mason Circuit Court Saturday for a settlement of the estate of Margaret Cook, deceased.

F. P. O'Donnell is the attorney for the plaintiff.

MISS LUCY MASSEY and Mr. Hiram Reed, both of Mt. Olivet, were married last evening about 6 o'clock by Rev. A. E. Stahl of the Christian church in the parlors of the Henson Hotel.

MEETING OF JOE HEISER POST, G. A. R.

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## CRANBERRIES

Special Price For a Few Days. Fancy, Bright Stock.

Only 5 CENTS a Quart!

DINGER BROS.

LEADING RETAILERS 101 West Second St.

\$1,000 DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST THE C. & O.

Saturday in the Mason Circuit Court suit was filed by James T. and Samuel Grimes against the C. & O. railroad for \$1,000 for damage done to their land and crops by a large overflow of water from defendant's property which runs through their land, said overflow being due to a retaining wall which the railroad built after buying the right-of-way through their property. Hon. A. D. Cole is the attorney for the plaintiffs.

POLICE COURT.

Saturday afternoon in Police Court Bernard Rogers was tried on a charge of robbery and was held over to the next term of the Mason county grand jury, his bond being placed at \$100. Rogers robbed a fellow by the name of Charles Chambers of a small amount of money at Mr. Joseph Dodson's stable in Wall street Friday afternoon.

Jesse Hamilton and J. J. Jameson were fined \$8.90 each on drunk and disorderly charges.

## A DEAD ONE

needs no medicine, but the live ones do. Don't put it off too long. See your doctor. Get a prescription—

THEN SEE US!

Fresh and Pure Drugs Carefully Compounded.

M. F. WILLIAMS, Third Street Drug Store

## D. HECHINGER & CO. Maysville's Biggest and Best Clothing and Shoe Store

To people that know values in Clothing and Shoes and know our House, we need not say anything. "This ad" is addressed to those that do not know. We want these to come in and see the values we are giving you—never before have we sold "Our kind of Clothing" as cheap.

Balmacaans worth up to \$20 now \$12.50. Overcoats worth up to \$20 and \$25 now \$12.50. Splendid Overcoats worth up to \$15 and \$16.50 now \$10. Suits, many of them that can be worn in late Spring, worth \$20 to \$25 now \$15. Suits that are worth \$15 to \$16.50 now \$10. A special lot of Suits, including Young Men's, worth \$10 to \$12 now \$7.50. Come and let us show you these values.

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# Linen Sale Notes

A big stock and qualities to rejoice any lover of good linens. The following is merely an outline. Won't you investigate the details.

Bleached Table Linen 50c to \$3 yard. Silver Bleached Damask 50c to \$1.25. Colored Table Linen 25c to \$1. Dinner Napkins \$1 to \$6 1/2 dozen. Tea Napkins 50c to \$3 1/2. Damask Towels 25c to \$1.25. Huck Towels 10c to \$1 1/2. Turkish Towels 12 1/2c to 75c. Guest Towels 19c to 50c. Set of Cloth and 12 Napkins \$7 to \$15. Doilies 5c to 25c. Center Pieces 25c to \$4. Luncheon Cloths 25c to \$5.

Battenberg Centerpieces, Table Covers and Luncheon Cloths at Half Price.

## FURS AT COST

Now's the time to buy for next season and the rest of this winter when furs can be secured so cheap. Only a few sets and

Muffs remain. Women's and Children's are both in the assortment. Prices are exactly half.

## HAND EMBROIDERED GOWNS \$1, \$1.50 AND \$!

The stitches are as neat and fine as your own work and only your own eyes can convince you how very pretty these night-gowns are. Come in to see for yourself.

## HANDKERCHIEF BARGAINS

A few initials, 25c linen for 15c. Slightly mused 15c cross bar 10c. Embroidered 25c linen 19c. A little mused. One corner embroidered linen, two qualities, 12 1/2c and 15c. Sheer quality with all around embroidered border 19c, originally 25c. Men's 25c linen 19c. Slightly mused.

1852 HUNT'S 1915

The Settlement Club will meet this afternoon at 3:15 o'clock at the Mission Rooms.

Mr. A. R. Glasecock is reported seriously ill at his home in the county.

MUST PAY LICENSE TO SELL MILK IN THIS CITY.

Mayor Lee is tracking down on the milk peddlers and all must pay the license tax and have their wagons tagged or stay out of the business in this city.

Little Miss Marie, daughter of Mrs. R. F. Gault of East Fourth street is ill with a severe cold.

C. & O. paycar will arrive here next Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

SQUIRE BAUER'S COURT.

Saturday in Squire Fred W. Bauer's court Gus Emmitt was fined \$10.15 for permitting stock to run at large upon a public highway.

# HEADQUARTERS For Tobacco Cottons

We sell more tobacco cottons at retail and wholesale than any other concern in the state of Kentucky.

We own them this year as low as any big jobber in the United States.

If you find any price below ours you will find the quality also below.

OUR REPUTATION goes with EVERY PACKAGE

Merz Bros MAYSVILLE-KY

The STORE that LEADS and SUCCEEDS

## VALENTINES

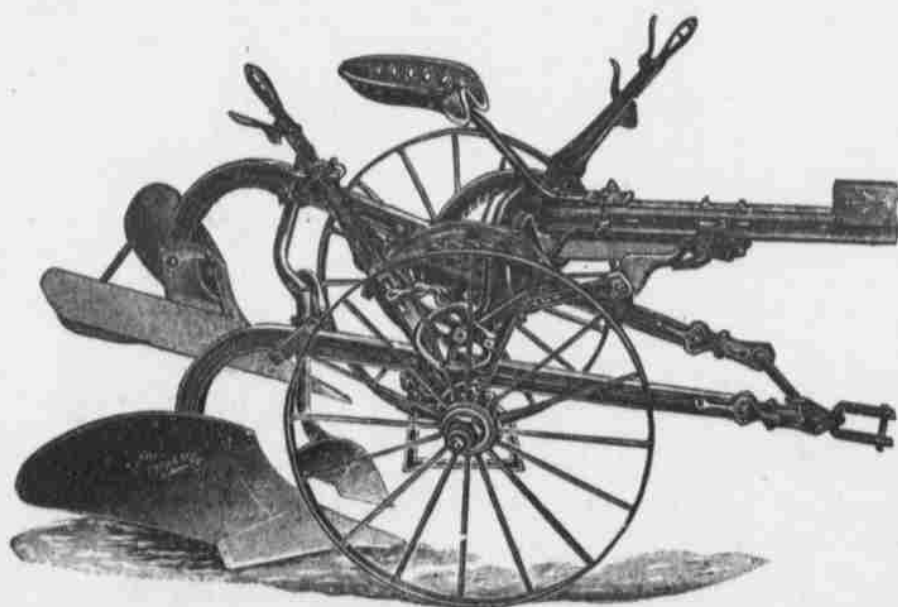
AT REDUCED PRICES

2c and 3c Valentines 1c each.  
10c Valentines 5c each.  
Fancy envelope given with each Valentine while they last.  
Lunch Sets 25c and 35c each.  
Come in and see our large and varied line.

J. T. KACKLEY & CO.

Over 2,000 persons are employed in the tobacco industry at Lexington. The number employed in Maysville will probably reach 1,000.

The funeral of Mrs. John Ryan was held this morning at 9 o'clock at St. Patrick's church. Burial in Washington Catholic cemetery.



## FARMERS,

Spring Is Just 'Round the Corner

AND IT'S TIME FOR YOU TO BEGIN THINKING OF THAT FLOW AND WORK HARNESS. WE ARE HERE, READY AND WAITING FOR YOU, SO COME IN. WE HAVE FLOWS TO SUIT ALL IDEAS, AND WORK HARNESS THE BEST IN THIS STATE OR ANY OTHER STATE, AND WE CAN PROVE IT. THEN, TOO, WITH EVERY \$1 CASH PURCHASE YOU GET A CHANCE ON TWO AUTOMOBILES THAT WE ARE GOING TO GIVE AWAY THIS YEAR.

YOURS FOR A BIG HARVEST,

MIKE BROWN,

The Square Deal Man

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Pay no attention to peddlers introducing merchandise unless they have our written authority

4 CANS GOOD CORN ONLY.....25c  
12 GOOD GRAPEFRUIT ONLY.....35c  
12 LARGE SWEET ORANGES ONLY.....20c

GEISEL & CONRAD.

PHONE 43.